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DEPT PASS EPA FOR STROTHER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TGEN, SENV, US, UR

SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT: AREA FIVE, BIOSPHERE
RESERVES (02.0541), BERING SEA CRUISE

REFS: (A) STATE 62259 (B) STATE 74687

1. EMBASSY RECEIVED 4 APRIL LETTER DATED 30 MARCH FOR STROTHER
FROM KAZAKOV. TEXT OF LETTER FOLLOWS:

QUOTE: WE HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER (WITHOUT A
SIGNATURE AND DATE) COMMUNICATED THROUGH THE US EMBASSY IN
MOSCOW ON 24 MARCH IN REPLY TO OUR LETTER OF FEBRUARY 4
WITH OUR PROPOSALS FOR THE BERING SEA JOINT CRUISE (PROJECT
2.05-41 BIOSPHERE RESERVES).

AS WE HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR ANSWER BEFORE MARCH 1, WE BEGAN
NEGOTIATIONS WITH TECHNICON ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY FOR 1-2
SPECIALISTS OF THE FIRM WITH THE LATEST MODELS OF SYSTEMS FOR
DETERMINATION OF NUTRIENTS IN SEA WATER TO TAKE PART IN THE
CRUISE.

DURING THE EXHIBITION "CLEAN WATER 77" WE CONFIRMED THAT
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SOVIETS SIDE WAS INTERESTED IN USING THESE SYSTEMS AND WE ALSO
ADVISED TECHNICON TO ADDRESS TO EPA AND DISCUSS THIS QUESTION,
BEARING IN MIND THAT THE NUMBER OF AMERICAN PARTICIPANTS SHOULD
NOT EXCEED 9 PERSONS.

HAVING CONSIDERED IN A PRELIMINARY WAY THE AMERICAN PROPOSALS
WE BELIEVE THAT THERE WILL BE NO POSSIBILITY TO STUDY MARINE

BIRDS AND MAMMALS IN THIS CRUISE AND THE PROGRAM ON ZOOPLANKTON RESEARCH CAN BE FULFILLED BY ONE SCIENTIST. THUS AS YOU MAY SEE IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO CUT THE NUMBER OF SCIENTISTS PARTICIPATING IN THESE SUBJECT MATTERS AND TO GIVE 1 - 2 PLACES TO THE REPRESENTATIVES OF TECHNICON.

WE AGREE WITH THE PROPOSAL OF THE AMERICAN SIDE TO DISCUSS IN DETAILS THE PLAN OF THIS JOINT CRUISE AND WE ARE READY TO RECEIVE AMERICAN DELEGATION OF THREE PERSONS IN MOSCOW APRIL 20-24. I WOULD LIKE TO MENTION THAT COOPERATION UNDER THE PROJECT IS BASED ON THE PRINCIPLE "THE SENDING SIDE PAYS."

ALSO WE WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU THAT THE MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION AT THE MEETING IN WASHINGTON, APRIL 13-25 WILL NOT BE COMPETENT TO DISCUSS THE MATTER OF THE JOINT CRUISE IN THE BERING SEA. YOURS SINCERELY, YU. KAZAKOV, COUNSELOR. END QUOTE. LETTER POUCHES EUR/SOV/EXCHANGES.

2. FOR STROTHER: KAZAKOV'S REFERENCE TO LETTER THROUGH EMBASSY IS APPARENTLY TO REF A, WHICH WAS SENT UNDER STAMP OF EMBOFF RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT. PLEASE USE FULL COUNTERPART TO COUNTERPART LETTER FORMAT (76 MOSCOW 7330) TO ASSURE THAT DATE, PROJECT NUMBER, AND SENDER'S NAME APPEAR ON TRANSMITTED LETTER.

3. ABOVE KAZAKOV LETTER CROSSED REF B, WHICH SCICOUNS WILL PERSONALLY DELIVER TO KAZAKOV ON 6 APRIL, IN EFFORT TO FORWARD STATUS OF CRUISE AND CLARIFY SOVIET POSITION ON AMERICAN PARTICIPATION. PLEASE SUPPLY SOONEST ANY FURTHER REACTIONS TO UNCLASSIFIED

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CONTENTS OF ABOVE KAZAKOV LETTER. TOON

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